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SENATE RESOLUTION

URGING THE MAYORS AND THE GOVERNOR TO COLLABORATE ON A PILOT PROGRAM TO GIVE PROPERTY AND OTHER TAX RELIEF TO SENIOR CITIZENS WHO VOLUNTEER THEIR TIME AND TALENTS TO ASSIST GOVERNMENT OFFICES IN THE STATE OF HAWAII.

1 WHEREAS, many senior citizens in Hawaii living on fixed
2 incomes face a number of economic pressures; and

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4 WHEREAS, property tax burdens are often felt the most by
5 those living on fixed incomes; and

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7 WHEREAS, able bodied senior citizens, although no longer
8 part of the workforce, have many talents to offer to the people
9 and State of Hawaii; and

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11 WHEREAS, volunteering is a great way for able bodied senior
12 citizens to share their talents, knowledge, and experiences to
13 benefit the community; now, therefore,

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15 BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the Twenty-eighth
16 Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2015,
17 that the Mayors and the Governor of the State of Hawaii are
18 urged to collaborate on a pilot program to give property and
19 other tax relief to senior citizens who volunteer their time and
20 talents to assist government offices in the State of Hawaii; and

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22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
23 Resolution be transmitted to the Governor, Mayor of the City and
24 County of Honolulu, Mayor of the County of Hawaii, Mayor of the
25 County of Maui, Mayor of the County of Kauai, Executive Office
26 on Aging, City and County of Honolulu Elderly Affairs Division,
27 Hawaii County Office on Aging, Maui County Office on Aging,
28 County of Kauai Agency on Elderly Affairs, and members of the
29 Hawaii State Legislature Kupuna Caucus.

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